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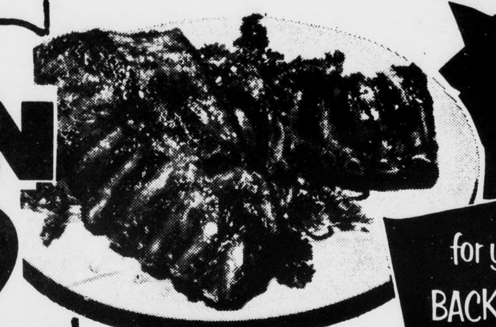

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by Calvin Robinson

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school system has an t sports program. Foot- n the driver's seat just d I am proud that so of our fine "citizens of w" are finding an outlet the vigor and healthful f the great outdoors in As I understand it, re five football "teams" several schools: varsity, h, 11th and 12th graders, d 10th graders and 8th A schedule is set up , and there are upwards enty boys in each ation. When a player up to the varsity level, ell prepared. I chatted e parent, whose son is st fine in this program an invitation to see the ame. Sounds great. Let mber that a graduate of Price, Larry Robinson, on the kick-off squad of llas Cowboys pro team. ur, 240 pounds of , Larry may be the top from Appomattox . He never played football, having special- basketball, where he ptain at University of see. Although I never n play, never met him, I each and every Appo- young man or woman eps out up front. Right CHS is in a competitive league and may I put in or the cheerleaders and o come out and, win, draw, whoop it up for attox. I am a veteran r-upper.

l opening item: Little was asked what was out school. He replied:

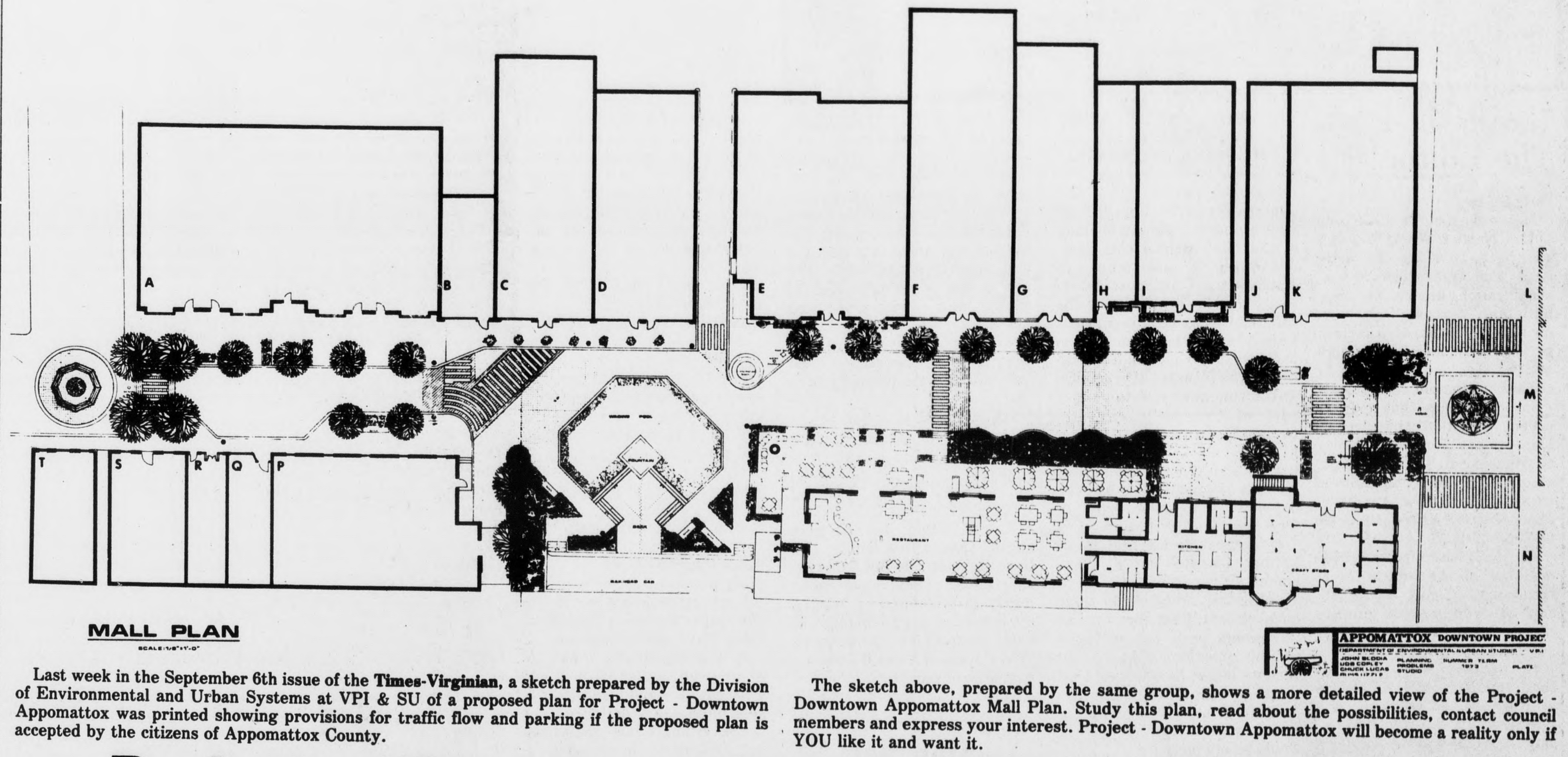
ks for reading and seeya ek.

School Board To Offer Extension Class

The Appomattox County School Board, in conjunction with the University of Virginia School of Continuing Education, is offering an extension class for the fall semester. The class entitled, **Principles of Economics Education,** will meet each Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the media center at the Appomattox Intermediate School.

The course will center on basic principles of economics and the hearing of these principles on present American economics conditions. It will, also, include a study of comparative economic systems. The instructor is Lester H. Hollans.

This class is open to all persons who meet the requirements for admission to classes offered by the University of Virginia. Upon successful completion of the class, three semester hours of graduate of undergraduate credit will be given. The cost of tuition is $72.00 for persons who are not under contract in a teaching position. Persons who are interested in enrolling in this class should call the School Board Office 352-6891.



Last week in the September 6th issue of the **Times-Virginian**, a sketch prepared by the Division of Environmental and Urban Systems at VPI & SU of a proposed plan for Project - Downtown Appomattox was printed showing provisions for traffic flow and parking if the proposed plan is accepted by the citizens of Appomattox County.

The sketch above, prepared by the same group, shows a more detailed view of the Project - Downtown Appomattox Mall Plan. Study this plan, read about the possibilities, contact council members and express your interest. Project - Downtown Appomattox will become a reality only if YOU like it and want it.

Project - "Downtown Appomattox" - Mall Plan

A survey of the existing conditions in Appomattox identified several factors which apparently contribute to the loss of trade and general deterioration in downtown Appomattox. They are physical deterioration and eroding aesthetic quality of the downtown area; inadequate parking facilities; poor traffic circulation: confusing sign and road conditions leading to the town; poor "gate" conditions at the town entrances; and inability to develop the downtown as a tourist center.

Untaken as a studio project by four graduate students at VPI & SU under the supervision of Professor Mike Cunningham, their report offers a proposal to cope with these and other problems confronting the Town of Appomattox by the creation of a downtown mall.

Developed in an 1865 motif, it is believed this project will attract tourists, and hence retail trade, back into the downtown area. This proposal is being presented in a series of **Times-Virginian** articles.

It is proposed that the downtown area be designed and planned in a unified and comprehensive way to create a thematic setting for the downtown that relates to the historic site. The objectives of such intervention is to attract tourists, to generate more downtown business, and to create a focal point for the community. In keeping with these goals, it is proposed that a mall be constructed on the two blocks of Main Street between Lee and Church Streets. A mall design lends itself well to Appomattox. Vehicular traffic is to be generally excluded from the mall area, thus creating a safe, open space for human activities. Because Main Street is relatively short it is easily traversed on foot.

Constructed in an 1865 motif, the mall would serve to unite visually and functionally the Civil War era with the railroad, both of which had significant impact on the history of Appomattox. Stores attracted to the mall should complement existing establishments and enhance the atmosphere of the mall. A major purpose for the existing of the mall would be to promote activity along Main Street in the commercial sense and to reinforce the downtown as leisurely social interaction and "community". The entire downtown area may be thought of as a park planned and designed especially to accommodate the commercial, sociocultural, and recreational business of the citizens of Appomattox. It is also intended as a pleasant and educational environment where tourists and passerby would want to browse, to shop or dine, or just to enjoy.

Upon entering the mall, several distinct areas would be prominent to the shopper. The Norfolk and Western Railroad is in in the process of giving the old railroad station to the Town of Appomattox, to be utilized at a manner deemed most appropriate by the community. Developed into a restaurant and craft shop this all weather facility would serve as a meeting place (social magnet) for day and night-time activities while attracting tourists into the downtown area. A craft shop, to be located in the east end of the depot, would help preserve and encourage handicrafts by providing a place for display and sale of locally produced artifacts.

A fountain conceived as a focal point, is planned for the most public space in the mall. Consiting of a simple, tall spray of water it is easily visible from any point in the mall, the fountain would add new sensory dimension to the downtown - the sound and smell of water. A shallow wading pool around the fountain would provide a refreshing wading place for children and would be designed so that it could be drained when the area is used for parades, concerts, or public spectacles. Adjacent to the fountain is a raised wooden platform which could serve as a smaller assembly area when the wading pool is flooded or as a speaker's platform or dance area when the pool is empty. Serving as a backdrop to the gathering area would be a restored railroad car intended as a major attraction which would serve to enhance the 1865 and railroad theme of the mall. An information booth is planned for the mall which would distribute tourist information and serve as a kiosk for notices of community activities.

Plants and trees act primarily to create a quiet, cool, natural atmosphere for the mall. Occasional pots of flowers, and shrubs add seasonal

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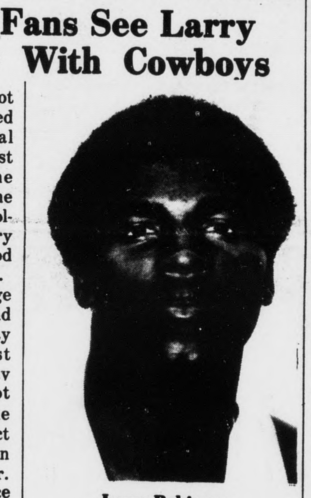
Local Football Fans See Larry Robinson Play With Cowboys

Local football enthusiasts got an added thrill if they watched the pre-season professional football game on television last Thursday night when the Dallas Cowboys defeated the World Champion Miami Dolphins and saw our own Larry Robinson making some good plays for the Cowboy's team.

Robinson had played college basketball for four years and was Captain of the University of Tennessee's team last season. He had hoped to play pro-basketball but was not drafted. In May of 1973 he signed a small bonus contract with the Dallas Cowboys when he received a free-agent offer. He had not played football since his high school days when he was a student at Carver-Price in Appomattox.

In the Saturday (September 8, 1973) edition of the Richmond Times-Dispatch, Executive Sports Editor, Bill Millsaps, who writes "The Referee' column for the paper chose as his topic for that issue "Unusual Route to NFL" and it was all



Larry Robinson

about Larry Robinson. We received a copy of the article from Blaine Carter of Richmond, formerly of Appomattox, and feel sure our readers will enjoy reading the reprint from the **Times-Dispatch** which follows:

"Larry Robinson doesn't

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Registration Hours Extended

The Appomattox County Electorial Board has announced that hours for county residents who need to register for the November 6th elections have been extended.

Through the month of September, the office of the General Registrar, Mrs. Emma Lemon, will be open every Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and on Saturday, October 6, 1973, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for the purpose of registering qualified persons to vote in the election to be held on November 6, 1973. This is the last day the registration books will be open prior to the election.

Beginning October 8, 1973, the office of the registrar will be open daily from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., five days a week until the election and in addition to the regular hours the office will be open on Saturday, October 27, 1973 and on Saturday, November 3, 1973, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

County residents who registered previously but have changed their addresses must notify the registrar in writing of the change in order to be eligible to vote and those residents who never have registered here must do so before they can vote.

The office of the General Registrar is located on the third floor of the Court House building in Appomattox.

County Sheriff Attends Police Planners' Workshop

Sheriff J. E. Richardson left Sunday for St. Petersburg, Fla., to attend a Police Planners' Workshop to be held Sept. 10 - 14, 1973, at the Florida Institute for Law Enforcement, St. Petersburg Junior College, St. Petersburg, Florida.

The source of the funds for this course was awarded through Grant No. 72-A1576, Training and Education of Law Enforcement Officers, by the Division of Justice and Crime Prevention, Virginia Council on Criminal Justice, Commonwealth of Virginia.

The course content will include instruction in the areas of the role of the police planner, organizating for planning, fundamentals of grant preparation, budget planning and understanding the planning process.

Through similar action grants awarded by the Virginia Council on Criminal Justice plans are being made for other members of the Appomattox County Sheriff's Department to attend schools early in 1974 on Scientific Investigation of Crime, Homocide Investigation and Current Problems and Concepts in Police Administration.

Adult Classes To Begin Monday

The Basic Education for Adults Class, sponsored by the Appomattox County School Board, will meet Monday, September 17, 1973 at 7 p.m. in Room 10 at the Intermediate School.

These classes are for adults who have not completed the elementary school. The instruction is based on their needs.

One student entered this class in 1971 and now has the High School Certificate. Adults desiring this certificate are encouraged to use this class, if they did not finish the elementary grades, as a step to the certificate.

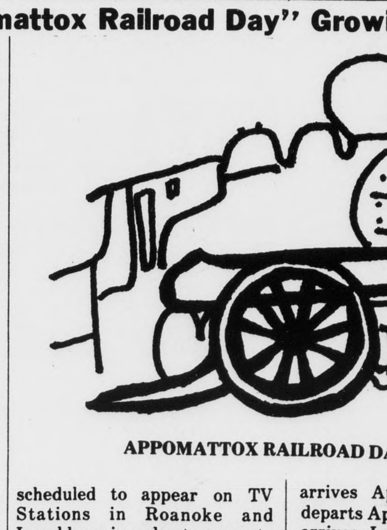
All textbooks, pencils and paper are furnished. These classes will meet on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Interest In "Appomattox Railroad Day" Growing

"Appomattox Railroad Day", November 4, 1-5 p.m., will demonstrate what Appomattox citizens have to share with others - Arts and Crafts, old railroad paraphernalia, and Civil War items. Several citizens have already expressed willingness to exhibit and/or sell items of interest ranging from hand-crafted wooden toys to a display of Civil War troop movements and skirmishes during the "Battle of Appomattox Station".

Depot space for sales and exhibits will be made on a first come, first served basis. Sellers and exhibitors will not be charged for space - the depot will be made available as a community service. The downtown area of Main Street will be closed to automobile traffic and parking in order to provide room for pedestrians and exhibitors. (500 passengers will get off the train in Appomattox.)

Sidewalk space being subject to weather conditions, exhibitors should reserve depot space with Mrs. Hazel Harvey, Chairwoman of Exhibit Committee, phone 352-7868. Mr. Edwin F. Schampel, an Appomattox citizen who is well known for his model railroad displays, has been named Chairman, Physical Planning Committee, phone 352-7982. Mrs. Barbara Mac Pherson will serve as Chairwoman for publicity, phone 352-6811, and "Mac" Mac Pherson, Area Extension Agent and Chairman of Appomattox Railroad Day, is



APPOMATTOX RAILROAD DAY

scheduled to appear on TV Stations in Roanoke and Lynchburg in order to promote Railroad Day and Appomattox. Citizens willing to serve on the above-named committees should contact chairpersons. Volunteers are still needed for the following committees: Welcoming, Entertainment, Depot Preparation, and Senior Citizen Recognition. Folks can call "Mac" at 352-7114.

The Roanoke Chapter, National Railway Historical Society, will run their "Autumn Railroad Excursion" from Roanoke to Appomattox to Lynchburg to Roanoke, using former Virginia Railway Trackage and two Fairbanks-Morse "Train Master" locomotives (only 12 in operation in the country, all soon to be retired.) Train departs Roanoke, 8 a.m., arrives Appomattox, 2 p.m.; departs Appomattox, 3:45 p.m., arrives Lynchburg 4:30 p.m.; arrives Roanoke 6:30 p.m. Train will travel East via Altavista and West via Pamplin.

Fares for the round trip from Roanoke are $14.50 adults, $9.50 children under 12. Children under 5 and not occupying a seat are free. Group rates (10 or more) available on request: Roanoke Chapter, N.R.H.S., P. O. Box 681, Roanoke, Virginia 24004.

A limited number of seats will be available for a run from Appomattox to Lynchburg at a much lower cost to be announced soon. Appomattox folks might want to tell friends and relatives in Roanoke to ride on down for Railroad Day festivities.

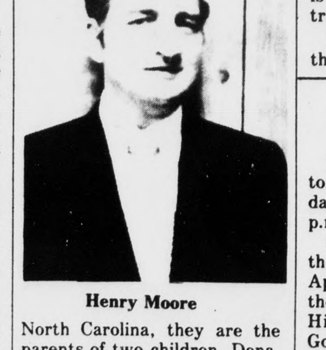
Joins Area Extension Staff

Henry Moore, Program Leader-State Technical Services, has recently joined the VPI & State University Extension office in Appomattox.

Mr. Moore assumed the duties of this recently created position on August 20th. The overall objective of this position will be to transfer information on modern technology to industries in the District Extension's nineteen counties. Technology sources are available from the VPI & SU Technical Services Division, the various Engineering Schools, Federal Laboratories, and from the industries themselves.

Prior to joining the faculty at VPI &SU, Mr. Moore was Assistant Manager of Research at Filbarco, Inc., a division of EXxon, in Greensboro, N.C. He has spent twenty years with industrial companies which includes service with Rockwell Manufacturing Co.'s Measurement and Control Division as Chief Electronic Engineer. He has attended VPI & SU and is a graduate of North Carolina State University.

Married to the former Miss Rebecca Ann Edwards of Eden,



Henry Moore

North Carolina, they are the parents of two children, Dena, who is a sophmore at Wingate College, and Ricky, who is a high school junior. The family are presently members of Christ's United Methodist Church in Greensboro, North Carolina.

Mr. Moore says the family is looking forward to making their home in Appomattox and expressed sincere appreciation for the hospitality which has been extended them.

LIONS CLUB TO MEET TONIGHT

The Lions Club of Appomattox will meet tonight, Thursday, September 13th, at 6:45 p.m. at Maudes Restaurant.

Otho W. Martin, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Appomattox County, will be the speaker for the evening. His topic will be "County Government."

SCHOOL BOARD TO MEET FRIDAY AT 3 P.M.

The Appomattox County School Board will be meeting in regular session on Friday afternoon, September 14th, at 3:00 p.m.

Board meetings are open to anyone with an interest in attending.